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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)**

Docket No.
746-P-9-USA

In Re Application Of: **Robert Stephen**

Application No.
10/644,196

Filing Date
Aug. 19, 2003

Examiner
Thomas, Alexander

Customer No.

Group Art Unit

1772

Confirmation No.

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Invention: **FIXTURE WITH INTEGRAL STOPS**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of March 1, 2005 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☒ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: June 1, 2005 until: September 1, 2005
Date Date

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is **\$510** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
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Dated: **September 7, 2005**

David G. Duckworth
Signature

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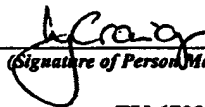
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